

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Jason M. Thomas
Yasushi Shikata, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 4126
Appln. No.: 10/687,819)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2635
Filed: October 20, 2003)	
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For: SIGNAL PROCESSING)	January 31, 2008
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APPARATUS, AND	:	
BROADCASTING METHOD)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Official Action dated October 31, 2007, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: